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Sir:

Preliminary to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

## IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend paragraph [029] in the specification to read as follows:

Source is typically housed within the main body of the dental instrument, thereby requiring a fiber optic light wand to channel the light from the dental instrument to the dental application site where the light-curable compounds are located. This is a problem because the fiber optic light wand is unable to capture much of the light that is emitted from the LED. The light that is not captured increases the heat in the dental instrument and thus requires intricate cooling systems

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